

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE SIXTH CIRCUIT

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Re: Case No. 24-1413, *Jonathan Lindsey, et al v. Gretchen Whitmer, et al*  
Originating Case No. : 1:23-cv-01025

Dear Counsel,

This appeal has been docketed as case number **24-1413** with the caption that is enclosed on a separate page. The appellate case number and caption must appear on all filings submitted to the Court. If the filing fee was not paid when the notice of appeal was filed, it must be paid to the district court immediately.

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Appellant:	Appearance of Counsel Civil Appeal Statement of Parties & Issues Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations Application for Admission to 6th Circuit Bar (if applicable)
Appellee:	Appearance of Counsel Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations Application for Admission to 6th Circuit Bar (if applicable)

More specific instructions are printed on each form. If appellant's initial forms are not timely filed or necessary fees paid, the appeal will be dismissed for want of prosecution. If you have questions after reviewing the forms and the rules, please contact the Clerk's office for assistance.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

**OFFICIAL COURT OF APPEALS CAPTION FOR 24-1413**

SENATOR JONATHAN LINDSEY; SENATOR JAMES RUNESTAD; REPRESENTATIVE JAMES R. DESANA; REPRESENTATIVE RACHELLE SMIT; REPRESENTATIVE STEVE CARRA; REPRESENTATIVE JOSEPH FOX; REPRESENTATIVE MATT MADDOCK; REPRESENTATIVE ANGELA RIGAS; REPRESENTATIVE JOSH SCHRIVER; REPRESENTATIVE NEIL FRISKE; REPRESENTATIVE BRAD PAQUETTE

Plaintiffs - Appellants

v.

GRETCHEN WHITMER, In Her Official Capacity as Governor of Michigan, or Her Successor; JOCELYN BENSON, In Her Official Capacity as Michigan Secretary of State, or Her Successor; JONATHAN BRATER, In His Official Capacity as Director of Elections, or His Successor

Defendants - Appellees